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May 24, 2012

**VIA HAND DELIVERY**

Chairman Kenneth Hill  
c/o Sharla Dillon  
Tennessee Regulatory Authority  
460 James Robertson Parkway  
Nashville, Tennessee 37243

Re: **Docket No. 11-00125: Application of TDS Telecom Service Corporation ("TDS") on behalf of its wholly owned subsidiaries, Concord Telephone Exchange, Inc. and Tennessee Telephone Company, for a State-Issued Certificate of Franchise Authority**

Dear Chairman Hill:

Enclosed please find an original and five (5) copies of TDS Telecom Service Corporation's First Amendment to its Certificate of Franchise Authority. Also enclosed is a check for the Amendment fee of \$250.

Please file the original and four copies of this material and stamp the additional copy as "filed." Then please return the stamped copy to me by way of our courier.

Should you have any questions concerning this matter, please do not hesitate to contact me at the email address or telephone number listed above.

Sincerely,

David Killion

Enclosures

cc: Mr. Jerry Kettles, Chief of Economic Analysis & Policy Division (w/o enclosure)  
Mr. Bruce Mottern

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May 23, 2012

Dr. Kenneth Hill  
Chairman  
Tennessee Regulatory Authority  
460 James Robertson Parkway  
Nashville, TN 37238

**Re: Application of TDS Telecom Service Corporation ("TDS") on behalf of its wholly owned subsidiaries Concord Telephone Exchange, Inc., and Tennessee Telephone Company for State Issued Certificate of Franchise Authority - Docket No. 11-00125**

Dear Chairman Hill,

Enclosed for filing in the above referenced docket are the original and four (4) copies of TDS Telecom's First Amendment to Certificate of Franchise Authority. Also enclosed is the required amendment fee of \$250.00 based on the population of the designated areas.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Bruce Mottern".

Bruce Mottern  
Manager – State Government Affairs  
TDS Telecom  
(O) 865-671-4753  
Email: bruce.mottern@tdstelecom.com

**BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY  
Nashville, Tennessee**

**In Re: Application of TDS Telecom Service Corporation ("TDS") on behalf of its wholly owned subsidiaries Concord Telephone Exchange, Inc., and Tennessee Telephone Company for State Issued Certificate of Franchise Authority - Docket No. 11-00125**

**FIRST AMENDMENT TO CERTIFICATE OF FRANCHISE AUTHORITY**

On August 5, 2011, TDS Telecom filed its application for a state issued certificate of franchise authority pursuant to the terms of the Competitive Cable and Video Services Act ("CCVSA"). On August 17, 2011, the Tennessee Regulatory Authority granted a Certificate of Franchise Authority to TDS Telecom Service Corporation ("TDS").

TDS files its First Amendment to add the following unincorporated areas to its original application of municipalities and unincorporated areas. The added locations are all within TDS Telecom's incumbent local exchange ("ILEC") telecom service area and will be served as identified in the attached maps.

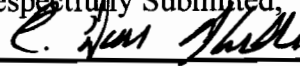
Locations as follows:

1. Concord – Knox County (see map)
2. Mt. Juliet – Wilson County (see map)

TDS has provided a copy and notice of this amendment filing to the affected municipalities and counties.

TDS will comply with all requirements regarding these additional locations to the same extent as set forth in its original (August 5, 2011) application filing, and as granted on August 17, 2011.

Respectfully Submitted,



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R. Dale Grimes

C. David Killion

Bass, Berry & Sims, PLC

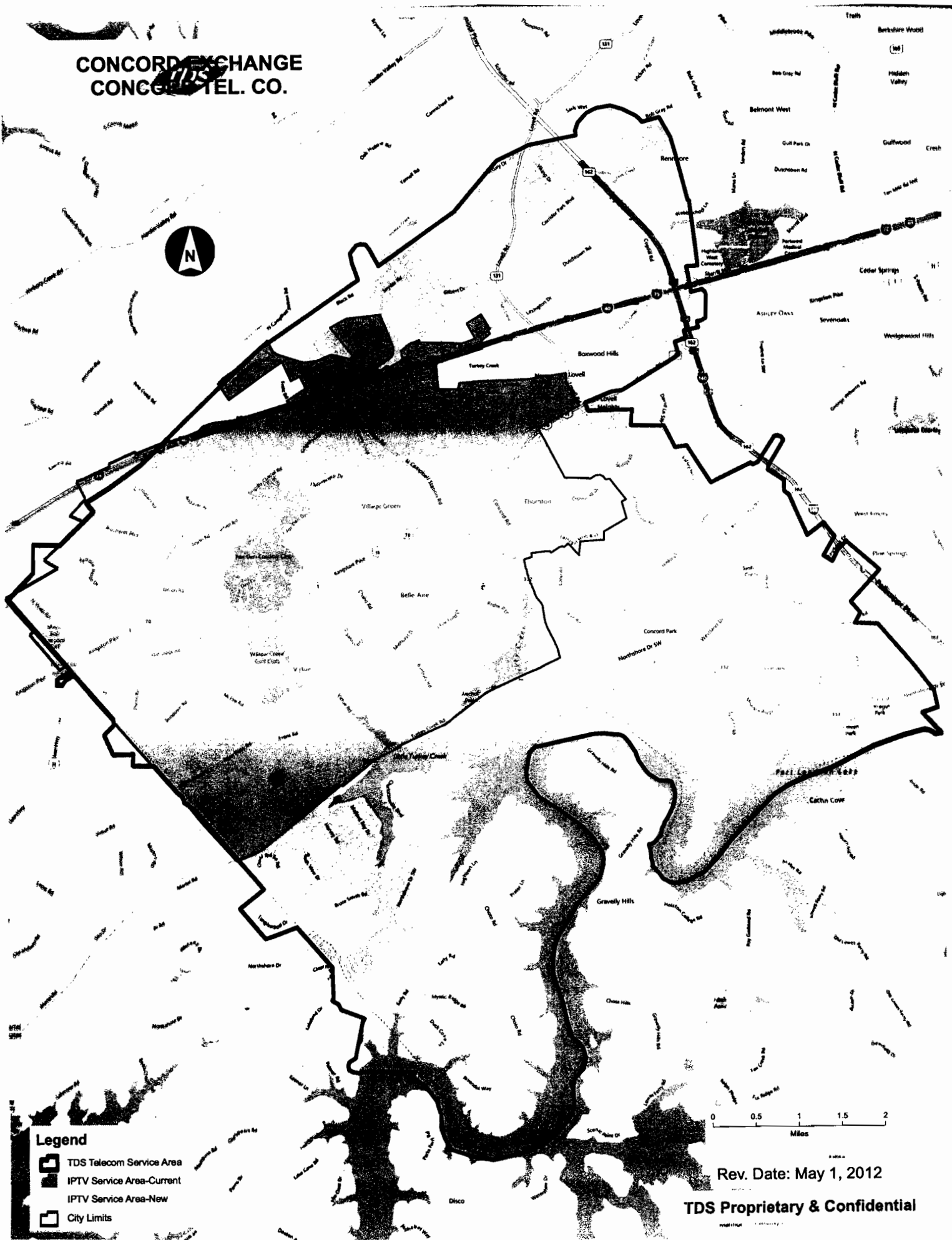
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# MAPS

# CONCORD EXCHANGE CONCORD TEL. CO.



## Legend

-  TDS Telecom Service Area
-  IPTV Service Area-Current
-  IPTV Service Area-New
-  City Limits

Rev. Date: May 1, 2012

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TENNESSEE TEL. CO.**

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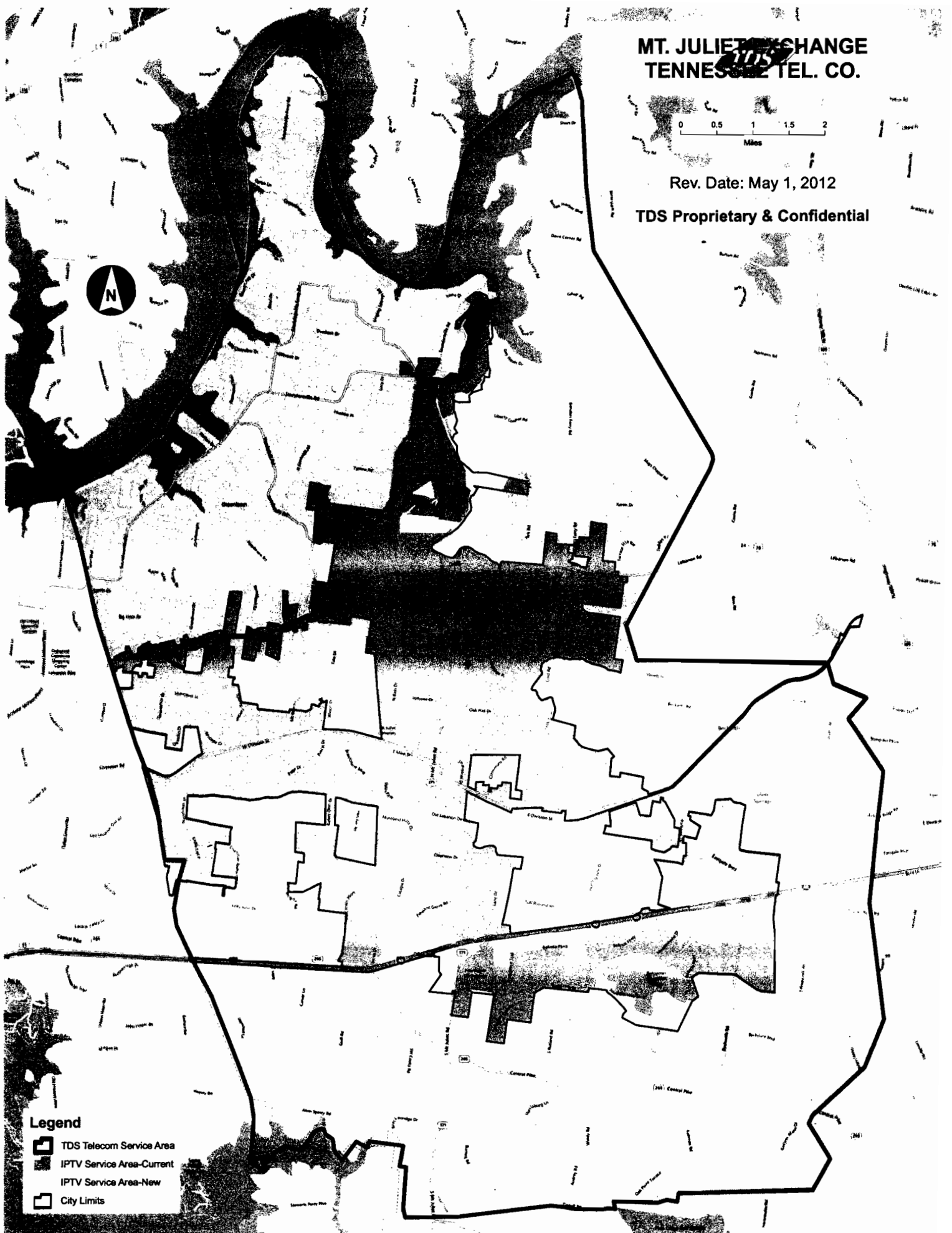
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**Legend**

-  TDS Telecom Service Area
-  IPTV Service Area-Current
-  IPTV Service Area-New
-  City Limits



# **Notice Letters**





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May 23, 2012

Mr. Randall Hutto  
Mayor  
Wilson County Courthouse  
228 E. Main St., Room 104  
Lebanon, TN 37087

Re: Notice of TDS Telecom's Application to Amend its state-issued certificate  
of franchise authority

Dear Mayor Hutto:

TDS Telecom, in accordance with the Competitive Cable and Video Service Act, Section 7-59-305, hereby provides Mt. Juliet, Wilson County a copy of its First Amendment to Certificate of Franchise Authority.

Additionally, in accordance with Section 7-59-305(8), notice is being provided to Mt. Juliet, Wilson County of its right to receive franchise fees consistent with the Act.

Should you have any questions please contact me at 865-671-4753 or email [bruce.mottern@tdstelecom.com](mailto:bruce.mottern@tdstelecom.com).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Bruce Mottern".

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Manager – State Government Affairs  
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Cc: Bill Schmitt – TDS Telecom Manager - Regional Market Management



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May 23, 2012

Mr. Tim Burchett  
Mayor  
Office of County Mayor  
Suite 615  
City County Building  
400 Main St.  
Knoxville, TN 37902

Re: Notice of TDS Telecom's Application to Amend its state-issued certificate  
of franchise authority

Dear Mayor Burchett:

TDS Telecom, in accordance with the Competitive Cable and Video Service Act, Section 7-59-305, hereby provides Knox County with a copy of its First Amendment to Certificate of Franchise Authority.

Additionally, in accordance with Section 7-59-305(8), notice is being provided to Knox County of its right to receive franchise fees consistent with the Act.

Should you have any questions please contact me at 865-671-4753 or email [bruce.mottern@tdstelecom.com](mailto:bruce.mottern@tdstelecom.com).

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Cc: Jerry Parkerson – TDS Telecom Manager - Regional Market Management